

Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Services*Training*Officers*Prosecutors (STOP) Grant

Below you'll find some of the most frequently asked questions from citizens, businesses and agency and non-profit partners (Updated 3/18/09)

Q. Who is eligible for recovery fund program and what can this money be used for?

A. These funds are used for enhancing the criminal justice system response and improved safety for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking. Eligible applicants for this funding are

current or past recipients of the STOP grant program administered by OCVA. Law enforcement agencies, prosecutors' offices and victims service organizations that have participated in, or benefitted from, STOP activities are also eligible. Governmental victims' service agencies are not eligible for this funding.

Q. How much money is available?

A. Washington will receive an estimate6d \$2.85 million.

Q. Where, how, and when do I apply for money?

A. Applications are available on CTED's website: http://www.cted.wa.gov/site/721/default.aspx. Applications are due April 16th, 2009.

Q. What is CTED's role in distributing the money?

A. CTED will review applications, award contracts and monitor contracts.

Q. Are there any other rules or obligations I need to know about?

A. All requirements are included in the application.

Q. I still have questions. Who do I contact to get more information?

A. Contact Bev Emery at beve@cted.wa.gov or call (360)725-2886